

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

SAMUEL L. PERKINS)	
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COMPLAINANT)	
)	
VS.)	CASE NO. 92-269
)	
SPEARS WATER COMPANY)	
)	
DEFENDANT)	

O R D E R

On July 16, 1992, Samuel Lewis Perkins ("Perkins") filed a complaint alleging he was billed an unreasonable amount of \$340.29 by Spears Water Company, Inc. ("Spears") for water during the period December 23, 1991 through January 27, 1992. Perkins states he did not use the water he was billed for, that his typical monthly bill was for \$55.00 and that he remitted such amount to Spears. Perkins requested a formal hearing pursuant to KRS 278.260.

By Order dated July 24, 1992, the Commission directed Spears to satisfy or answer Perkins' complaint. On July 30, 1992, Spears filed its Answer wherein it denies its charges were unreasonable, that Perkins' meter was checked and found to be in proper order, and that Perkins was only billed for water that went through his meter.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. Spears Water Company, Inc., represented by counsel, and William M. Arvin shall appear at a hearing scheduled for September 3, 1992, at 10:00 a.m., Eastern Daylight Time, in Hearing Room 1 of the Commission's offices at 730 Schenkel Lane, Frankfort, Kentucky, for the purpose of allowing the parties to present all evidence regarding this complaint.

2. Each party shall bring to the hearing any documentary evidence regarding this dispute.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 13th day of August, 1992.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION


For the Commission

ATTEST:


Executive Director